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**RAJYA SABHA**

The following Bill was introduced in the Rajya Sabha on the 24th December, 1969:—

**Bill No. XXXIII of 1969**

*A Bill further to amend the Calcutta Port Act, 1890.*

Be it enacted by Parliament in the Twentieth Year of the Republic of India as follows:—

1. This Act may be called the Calcutta Port (Amendment) Act, 1969. Short title.
2. In the Calcutta Port Act, 1890 (hereinafter referred to as the principal Act), after section 35, the following section shall be inserted, namely:— Insertion of new section 35A, in Bengal Act 3 of 1890.

“35A. The Commissioners may undertake to carry out on behalf of any person (including any State Government) any works or services or any class of works or services on such terms and conditions as may be agreed upon between the Commissioners and such person.”

Power of Commissioners to undertake certain works.
3. In section 37 of the principal Act, after sub-section (2), the following sub-section shall be inserted, namely:— Amendment of section 37.

“(3) Nothing in this section shall apply to any work referred to in section 35A.”

## STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS

The works which may be carried out by the Commissioners for the port of Calcutta are set out in section 35 of the Calcutta Port Act, 1890. The scope of this section is restricted and it does not permit the Port Commissioners to carry out any works or services on behalf of other authorities. The West Bengal Government are anxious that the Port Commissioners should undertake the construction of the second bridge across the Hooghly. It is, therefore, proposed to amend the Act to enable the Port Commissioners to undertake such works. At the same time, it is proposed to make it clear that the provisions of section 37 of the Act which enable the Central Government to repair or complete any work constructed or undertaken by the Commissioners do not apply in relation to works which may be constructed or undertaken by the Commissioners on behalf of other authorities.

2. The Bill seeks to achieve the above objects.

NEW DELHI;  
*The 19th December, 1969.*

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B. N. BANERJEE,  
*Secretary.*